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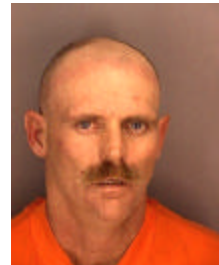
## PRESS RELEASE

DATE/TIME OF RELEASE: 12-18-2001 10:00 AM  
DATE/TIME OF OCCURRENCE: 12-18-2001 3:23 AM  
NATURE OF CALL: BURGLARY/HOMICIDE  
LOCATION OF CALL: BRYANT AND LOWELL, PLACER COUNTY  
CASE NUMBER: SO 01 21618  
SUSPECTS: JAMES RAYMOND FRISTOE, 42, WEST SAC  
DANNY WAYNE REBER, 42, WEST SAC

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### SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:

At 3:23 a.m. today a call was received via 911 of an apparent traffic accident near the 8100 block of Elder Avenue in the southwest corner of Placer County. Responding Fire and Sheriff's units located a pickup truck with two occupants that had collided with a telephone pole near the intersection of Bryant and Lowell. A third subject was found dead near the scene of the accident and had apparently been ejected from the pickup truck when it collided with the pole.



James Fristoe

Further investigation revealed the dead subject may have interrupted a theft or burglary being committed by the truck's occupants and had jumped in the back of the truck as it fled the scene of the crime. The vehicle then hit the pole and ejected the victim who suffered fatal injuries when he hit a fence post.



Danny Reber

The truck's occupants have been booked at the Placer County Jail on charges of Burglary and Homicide and are being held without bail as the investigation continues.

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